Recently, the Chief Information Officer (CIO) requested recommendations for an operating system to support the installation of Oracle Collaboration Server (OCS) as a centralized electronic mail platform and for an operating system to support the installation of IBM Tivoli Identity Manager (TIM) and Tivoli Access Manager (TAM) as an enterprise identity access management system from the Wisconsin Enterprise Architecture team.

The CIO has chosen to accept the recommendations from WEAT. The implications of the CIO's decision to endorse the WEAT recommendations are:

1. HP Hardware and HP-UX Unix operating system will be the implementation choice for Oracle Collaboration Server. The Division of Enterprise Technology will be responsible for developing an implementation plan that supports this decision.

2. IBM Hardware and AIX Unix operating system will be the implementation choice for Tivoli Identity and Access Manager Software. The Division of Enterprise Technology will be responsible for developing an implementation plan that supports this decision.

3. Standard for Unix operating system within the Enterprise will be HP-UX. This standard will be in effect immediately and applies to all executive branch agencies. The CIO can grant an exception, where there is an appropriate business and technical justification to use an alternative to the standard Unix operating system. IBM AIX will be the preferred Unix operating system for any "exception" request.

4. All biennial budget requests for application systems requiring a Unix operating system should specify HP-UX as the operating system. If the budget request identifies a different Unix operating system an exception approval document from the CIO and WEAT must accompany the budget request.

5. All Procurement requests for systems requiring a Unix Operating System should specify HP-UX as the operating system. If the procurement request identifies a different Unix operating system an exception approval document from the CIO and WEAT must accompany the procurement request.

6. The use of Sun Solaris Unix operating system will be phased out within DET and the enterprise in a manner consistent with application software and hardware aging and financial issues.

7. DET Operations will move common enterprise internet services from aging Sun Solaris based servers to Linux based servers at a time consistent with cost and investment considerations. Examples of such common internet services include File Transfer Protocol (FTP), Domain Name Service (DNS) and Email List Servers (listservs).

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